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In response to the recent Office action, please amend the abovereferenced application as follows.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

The Examiner has objected to the drawings under 37 CFR 1.83(a) because they fail to show the <u>cable</u> "100" as described in the specification on page 7, line 1. Applicant encloses herewith a "Replacement Sheet" incorporating cable "100" as disclosed in the specifications.

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